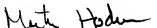


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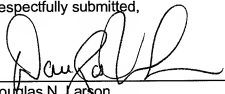
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated May 3, 2007, extending the period of response from August 3, 2007 to November 3, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-0440.

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